

LOWER TAX RATE PROVIDED FOR IN THIS ORDINANCE

AT Aldermanic Hearing Companies Admit Can Charge Less and Make Profit.

TO OPEN NEW STANDS.

Proposed Measure Has Mayor's Approval and Inquiry Shows Varying Fares.

A new taxicab ordinance drawn under Mayor Gaynor's eye, and embodying the features of the Nicola measure deemed worthy of enactment by Chief of the Bureau of Licenses James G. Wallace and his chief inspector, John Drennan, who have made a study of taxicab regulation, is to be introduced in the Board of Aldermen next week. It is designed to supersede the Nicola ordinance now being considered and to give the city an immediate relief from the irregularities of taxicab transportation.

Residing taking a firm grip on the rate question the "official" ordinance does away with the monopoly of the taxi stands, heretofore seized and held by "special interest" concerns. It retains some of the stands in front of hotels where families are housed but opens up heretofore restricted spaces in front of cafes, lobster palaces and other "tenderloin" resorts for the use of all. It provides penalties for violations, reduces the rate generally in vogue at present of \$1 a mile and enables the city authorities to deal rigorously with persons guilty of tampering with taxicab clocks.

Chief Wallace pointed out to-day that while there is much justice in the claim of the independents that the "trust" concerns monopolize the trade, that special stands, nevertheless, have advantages to families who live in hotels. Such companies are responsible, he said, and few complaints are made against the service. The present rates are objectionable.

"The only rate which did apply," said Mr. Wallace, "was declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court, in the case of the Universal Taxicab Company against the Mayor. This decision wiped out for practical purposes all rates applying to taxicabs and forced us to either disregard the subject entirely and allow the taxicab people to charge anything they pleased or to fall back on the old coach and cab rates which arbitrarily permitted an owner to charge \$1 a mile for a vehicle seating four persons."

TAXICAB CHARGE AT RATE IN EXCESS OF COURT RULING.

The rate which the Court set aside was 40 cents for the first half mile and 20 cents for each additional quarter of a mile. At present nearly all taxicabs charge at rates much in excess of this figure, although it was testified yesterday by William Thiel, a member of the Independent Taxicab Owners' Association, that sixty of his associates met May 7 last and agreed to operate their machines on the following basis:

30 cents for the first half mile and 10 cents for each additional quarter of a mile.

Mr. Thiel and other independents plainly told the Aldermanic special committee comprising Bryant Willard, Chairman; Samuel Marks, John Bolles, Dan R. Coleman, John J. McLaughlin, Henry T. Grimm and John McCann, which have, at last, been aroused to action by public clamor, that they were well satisfied with the new ordinance and would not even further reductions might be made if the new ordinance would abolish the private stands. He had made good profits on his investment at the reduced rates, he said, and was sure taxicab men could stand the reduction if an open field for all was declared.

The Aldermen learned many things not before brought to their attention. Since the Nicola ordinance was introduced little or no headway has been made by the Board. It was not until Alderman Samuel Marks compelled the adoption of a resolution looking to an investigation of the complaints of "independent" taxicab owners that the committee on Rules took action. Even in this the Rules Committee took its time, nearly two months elapsing before the special committee was formed, and in order not to eclipse the customary legislative speed records of the Aldermen, Chairman Willard then consumed

Take a Practical View of THE Renting Situation

Altogether too many commodities are offered for sale, nowadays, backed by the low statement that they are "best." But these are practical facts. There are many like those who hail from "Minnesota" and denounce the "shame." There's plenty of PROOF that World ads. are by far the best for renting houses, apartments, stores, offices, etc.

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"You Can't Produce an Ideal Husband Simply By Eliminating the Undesirable Habits of the Masculine Being."

"Men Have Made a Business of Being Men for Thousands of Years, but They Haven't Given a Thought to Being Husband."

"The Ideal Baby Is a Possibility, While the Ideal Husband Seems Very Much of a Myth."

"It Would Be Much Easier to Develop a Super-Race of Monkeys Than of Men."

"Man Is Known Scientifically to Be Less Fastidious and Discriminating Than Woman. His Tendency Is to Choose the Meanest, the Weakest, the Woman Who Most Flatters His Assumption of Superiority."

"We Must Give Up Sighing for the Ideal Husband Until We Gain Our Rights to Propose."

BY NIKOLA GREELEY-SMITH.

"The ideal husband does not smoke, does not drink intoxicating liquors, does not eat meat." Such is the brief and categorical definition offered by Miss Jessie Holmby, a young English artist, who is about to marry a grandson of the poet Longfellow. He sounds rather tame, this smokeless, drinkless, meatless ideal, does he not? By no means the sort of person whom we consider a conquering hero in New York. In fact, he sounds as if a professor of eugenics had invented him.

Yet here is what Mrs. Kate Trimble Woolsey, author of "Republics Versus Woman," and a profound student and advocate of eugenics, has to say about him.

"You can't produce an ideal husband simply by eliminating the undesirable habits of the masculine being," Mrs. Woolsey declared. "You notice that no one does much talking about the ideal husband, except the unmarried girl. Why? Because he is a myth. Nowhere on the wide surface of the globe can he be found."

"Now, I'm not a man hater. I think it might be possible to find an ideal man, but not an ideal husband. Men have made a business of being men for thousands of years, but they haven't given a thought to being husbands. On the other hand, it would be easy to discover an ideal wife, but not an ideal woman. For wifehood has been woman's business."

Mrs. Woolsey, who sprang into fame a few years ago by sharing with Madame Curie the honor of being one of two women delegates to the International Free Thought Congress at Brussels, has been an enthusiastic student of biological breeding for a long time. She is, in fact, one of the pioneer eugenicists of the United States and has lately given her attention to writing the first eugenic play, which she calls "Biology," and which is to be produced by a New York manager next fall.

MORE INTERESTED IN THE BABY THAN THE HUSBAND.

"I must admit," Mrs. Woolsey said yesterday at the Great Northern Hotel, "that I am less interested in the subject of the ideal husband than in that of the ideal baby."

"But perhaps one is a necessary preliminary to the other," I suggested. "Perhaps," Mrs. Woolsey reluctantly conceded, "but I regard the ideal baby as a possibility, while the ideal husband seems very much of a myth. How can an ideal husband be developed in a civilization which does not permit women to select her own mate?"

"It would be much easier to develop a super race of monkeys than of men, because among the so-called lower animals the female really chooses the father of her young."

"Then you think the ideal husband will remain a myth until women propose marriage?"

"Perhaps," Mrs. Woolsey replied. "It is a fact known to all scientists that the female when she exercises her right always seeks the highest. She has an instinctive preference for the qualities necessary to the production of a super

another two months, nearly, calling this committee together.

Its first session was yesterday. Besides hearing that rates may be reduced and profits made, the committee heard from John Drennan, probably the best posted taxicab official in the city government.

Mr. Drennan's testimony was exhaustive, neither "trust" owner nor independent, and plainly told the committee that 90 per cent. of the complaints lodged in the Bureau of Licenses are against independents. He explained this, however, by adding that, as a rule, complaints against company taxicabs are attended to either at the hotel where the cab has space or at the company's offices, and do not reach the Bureau, while complaints against independents come directly to the Bureau.

The committee will receive a complete list of all complaints filed against taxicab service in New York from Jan. 1, 1912, to the present time, from the companies and the Bureau next Thursday when it meets again. Mr. Drennan offered the following list of the various "special privileges" taxicab concerns operating in New York, the number of licenses for machines and the rate charged for first and second miles.

Name	License No.	1st Mile	2nd Mile
B'way Taxi Co.	15	70	40
Cab & Taxi Co.	261	80	50
Conn. Cab Co.	164	80	50
Carnegie Hill	5	80	50
M. & S. Less Imp.	1	80	50
Trans. Taxi	16	70	40
Cadillac Taxi Co.	11	80	50
Corvan Garage Co.	9	80	50
Cruise & Keelon	13	80	50
Fraser	11	80	50
Hart Bros.	9	80	50
Harvey, Stables	49	80	50
Kayton Taxicab	40	80	50



MRS. KATE TRIMBLE WOOLSEY

CRAZED OVER WIFE'S DEATH HE WRECKS HOME AND ATTACKS CHILDREN

Frenzied Widower Fighting to Smash Casket When the Police Arrive.

The occasion of the wake over the body of Mrs. Margaret Phelan in her home at No. 60 West One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, where she died three days ago, was transformed into a scene of confusion shortly before dawn to-day when the dead woman's husband, Martin Phelan, became suddenly frenzied and attacked his six sons and four daughters.

Although Phelan is a man of small stature and is past sixty-five years of age he fought with such fury that his six sons could do nothing with him and had to call in outside aid. The entire neighborhood was thrown into a commotion by the violence of the widower.

Patrick Phelan, the elder son, is a policeman attached to the Westchester station, and throughout the evening he had been having trouble with his father. The old man broke into a flood of abuse. His children pleaded with him not to disgrace them and he left the apartment. Returning about 10 o'clock this morning he burst in upon the wake and began shouting abuse for the dead and the living. Seizing a chair he proceeded to wreck the furniture. He threatened to destroy the casket in which his wife's body lay. It was then for the first time that his sons were forced to lay violent hands upon him, dragging him to a room and locking the door.

Policemen Beach and Connelly found him battering at the door and smashing in the panels. He had driven all the mourners, save the two sons that guarded the remains, from the house. He fought like a wild animal all the way to the police station and continued his raging after he had been locked in a cell.

Phelan was arraigned before Magistrate Hermann in Harlem Court at 11 o'clock and his wife's funeral services were being held for four days. The Magistrate committed him under \$500 bail for further examination when his children could appear against him. He was released from the Workhouse last April. He had been committed there for drunkenness.

Macon - Seaman	507	80	50
Trans. Co.	119	70	40
N. Y. Trans. Co.	119	70	40
Se. Motor Co.	30	80	50
Universal Tax	53	80	50
Co.	53	80	50
Renault Taxi Co.	44	80	50
Trans. Co.	32	80	50
Riviera Taxi Co.	1	80	50
Mutual Taxicab	18	80	50
New Taxi Auto	16	80	50
Co.	16	80	50
Berkley-Bravot	7	80	50
Taxicab	7	80	50
Cuneo-Clertick	1	80	50
Yellow Taxicab	1	80	50
Co.	1	80	50
Total	1,161		

Independent taxicab owners, licensed, 326.

Independent taxicabs operating at 20 cent clocks, 60.

Independent taxicabs operating at 30 cent clocks, 335.

The new ordinance also proposes to display in a conspicuous place on the taxicab a card indicating that its license was obtained within a year. It is Mr. Wallace's intention to have all the licenses expire on the same day, as is the case with the State licenses of motor vehicles, and not on each day of the year, as is the present. Under the present loose taxicab laws it is impossible to tell if taxicabs have the back licenses up to date or not.

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NEW EVIDENCE MAY SAVE WOMAN FROM DEATH CHAIR

Lawyers for Mrs. Cusumano Say Gov. Foss's Council Will Be Forced to Grant Stay.

BOSTON, June 1.—Sensational new evidence, which, it is claimed, will force the Governor's council to commute the death sentence of Mrs. Lena Cusumano, will be made public to-day or to-morrow by Attorneys Grady and Coughlin, who represented the woman and her accomplice, Harry Marshall, both of whom are in Charlestown Prison, awaiting summons to the electric chair for murdering the woman's husband.

Attorney Grady would only say early to-day that he and his colleague have unearthed a startling story of depravity that will throw an entirely new light on testimony of various witnesses who were related by blood or marriage to Mrs. Cusumano. What these "sensational details" are, said Attorney Grady, will be given to the public in due time.

Mrs. Cusumano is the first woman to occupy a death cell in the history of

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CHILD ELOPER SAFE, MARRIED MAN TELLS POLICE FROM CELL

Brooklyn Teacher Who Deserted His Wife for Young Girl Put Under Arrest.

Gertrude Meredith, fourteen-year-old Brooklyn schoolgirl, who ran away with Lewis B. Clarkson, a married school teacher, is with her maternal grandmother in Portsmouth, N. H. Clarkson, who was arrested at the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. John Rasmussen, at No. 321 Sixtieth street, Brooklyn, gave this information to detectives who questioned him at the Raymond street jail to-day.

The prisoner-school-teacher is being held in default of \$1500 bail. He talked freely with Detective Fay, telling him, the detective says, that he left Brooklyn with the girl on May 23, intending to go directly to her grandmother's in the New Hampshire city. When they reached Boston, however, they decided to stop there a day or two.

From Boston, Fay was told, the couple went to Portsmouth and were received at the grandmother's home. Clarkson said that he stopped there "as a guest."

"When I started back to Brooklyn," he said, "I left the girl with her grandmother. I want to say, for my own sake as well as hers, that I have done her no wrong. I would not have run away with her if I had not cared so much for her. The trouble is that I made a mistake when I married—I was too young."

The girl with whom Clarkson ran away is a daughter of Mrs. Carl Clarke of No. 106 Beverly road, Flatbush. Mrs. Clarkson, the deserted wife, was Miss Celia Rasmussen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Rasmussen, at whose home Clarkson was caught.

Mrs. Clarkson, about the time of her marriage, placed the South Brooklyn Business and Shortland school at No. 504 Fifth avenue. Her husband, who is twenty-two years old, gave up his position as a salesman and became manager and shorthand teacher in his wife's school.

His desk was so located that he could look out of a window directly into a window of the Clarke home, where Gertrude was accustomed to sit and read. The married man and the child flirted through the window and soon became better acquainted.

Capt. Coughlin of the Brooklyn Detective Bureau, who telegraphed the Portsmouth police that if the runaway girl can be located there she will be brought back to appear against Clarkson.

McKinley's Brother-in-Law Dead. CLEVELAND, O., June 1.—Capt. Andrew J. Duncan, seventy-six, brother-in-law of the late President McKinley, died at his home here yesterday. He had been ill two years. In 1897 Capt. Duncan married Miss Sarah E. McKinley, a sister of the late President. In 1897 Capt. Duncan was appointed inspector of Indian Affairs, a federal position he held for some time thereafter.

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